

MAIL SACK FROM THE LOCAL
POSTOFFICE FOUND RIFLED

Robbers Stole Pouch Either in Transit From Postoffice to the Depot or at the Depot—No Registered Letters Were in Sack.

Early Sunday morning, a young man by the name of Hickerson reported that he had found a rifled mail sack near the L. & N. railroad, about one mile north of the city. When the information reached the postoffice, Mr. Hunt Perry went to the place indicated by the report. The leather strap that closes the sack was cut, the sack open and the mail scattered around.

Some of the letters were opened, but whether any letters with money in them were gotten is not known. There were no registered

letters in the pouch. The pouch was dispatched by the mail messenger from the Winchester postoffice at 7 a. m., Thursday. It was northern mail that goes south on the L. & N. at 11:09, and is transferred to the north bound train on the same road that passes here at 5 o'clock, a. m. The pouch was evidently stolen either in transit from the postoffice to the depot, or at the depot.

The matter has been taken up by the government offices, and every effort will be made to find the guilty party or parties.

SERVICES TO CONTINUE
DURING PRESENT WEEK

Dr. J. W. Porter, of Lexington, to Preach at First Baptist Monday Night.

There was a large crowd at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning and night. Dr. Porter, the pastor, preached at night, and there were three additions to the church. There was a good attendance at the meeting Monday with two additions.

Dr. Porter, of Lexington, will preach Monday night at 7:30 and every morning at 10:30 during the week, and every evening at 7:30. Mr. Weston and Mr. Rash, of Lexington, will be in attendance to assist in the singing.

WORK IS RESUMED ON
FRATERNITY BUILDING.

Terra Cotta Arrived Saturday—Large Force is Immediately Started Monday Morning.

The terra cotta that the workmen on the Knights Pythias and Masonic fraternity building, have been waiting on for some time arrived Saturday and work on the building has been resumed.

A full force of workmen was put on Monday morning and work on will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

This building when completed will be one of the finest office and lodge-room buildings in the State and one that will be a credit to any city.

NO VERDICT IN BALL CASE.

RICHMOND, Ky., Nov. 16.—A hung jury resulted in the Ball seizure case in the Federal Court here Saturday afternoon, after which court adjourned for this term.

Ben Curtis Lary has accepted a position with the Hagan Gasoline Engine Company, at Macon, Georgia, and left this morning for that city.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM
SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Renick Are Thrown From Buggy. Horse Frightened and Starts to Run.

While returning to their home in the country late Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Renick had a narrow escape from serious injuries by the horse they were driving running off and upsetting the buggy in which they were riding.

The accident occurred on the Lexington pike only a short distance from town. One of the shafts on the buggy became unhooked and this excited the animal and he started to running.

Mr. Renick who was doing the driving, seeing that the horse was getting from under his control, tried to steer him into a fence and in so doing the buggy was upset.

Mrs. Renick's head struck a mail box and she was knocked unconscious and a deep gash was cut over her right eye. Mr. Renick sustained a wrenched back and numerous bruises but neither his nor Mrs. Renick's wounds are regarded as serious.

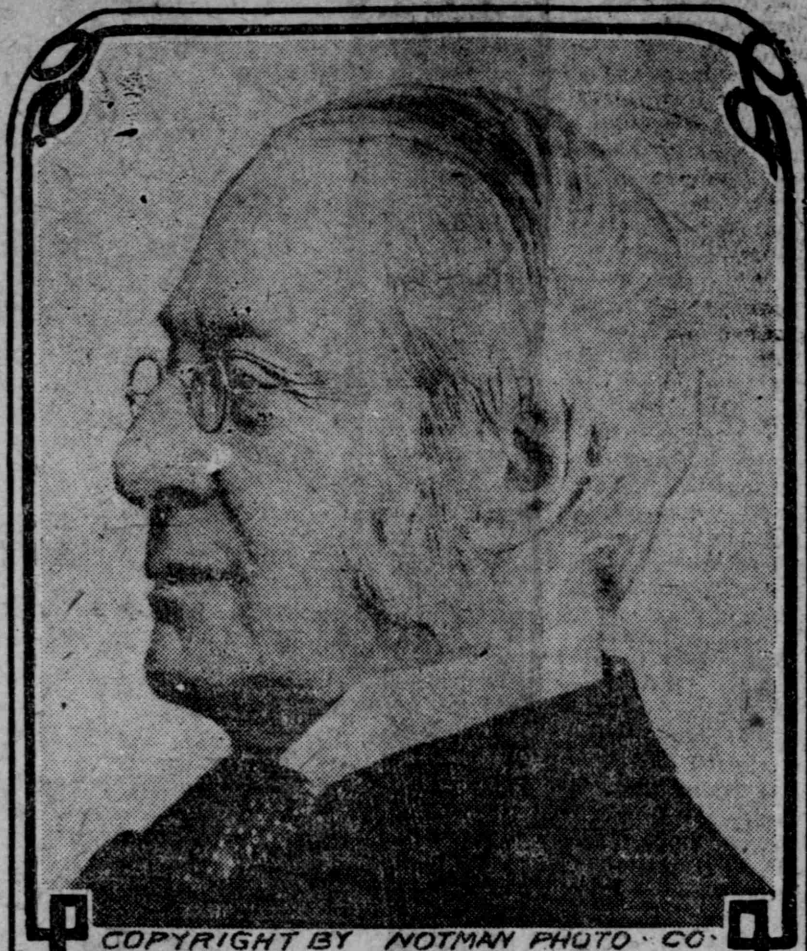
Mrs. Renick was taken to the home of Mrs. Ed. Pace, opposite the point where the accident occurred and Dr. Ishmael was summoned and dressed her wounds. She remained there all night, being hurt too bad to be taken home. She was removed to her home in the country Sunday afternoon.

A telephone message from their home Monday morning stated that they were both resting easy and doing as well as could be expected.

BEREA COLLEGE WINS
FROM GEORGETOWN.

BEREA, Ky., Nov. 16.—Berea College defeated Georgetown College here Saturday 19 to 0. Scores were made by three touchdowns and drop kick. One man, the quarterback, for Georgetown, was knocked out.

Forward passes were used a good deal with success. The on-side kick failed notably. Biggest gains were made by end runs.



A COLLEGE PRESIDENT FOR FORTY YEARS.

Dr. Charles William Elliot, who has recently resigned as president of Harvard to take effect next May, will have been at the head of that institution for forty years, a longer period than has been covered by any other American college president with the exception of the famous Mark Hopkins of Williams.

BASEBALL
MEETING

All Interested in Winchester Club Are Urged to Attend Monday Night.

There will be a baseball meeting of those interested in the game, at the county court room, in the court house Monday night at 7:30.

All who have subscribed for stock or who are in any way interested are urged to attend.

The replies so far received to the letters sent last week to 175 citizens have not been very numerous. The management says that there will have to be more responses or the matter of a club will have to be dropped.

Come out everybody and help to boom the club.

G. O. P. MAJORITY IS
47 ON THE ROLL CALL

Membership of New House of Representatives is Republicans 219; Democrats 172.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The temporary roll call of the House of Representatives for the Sixty first Congress has been completed and published. It presents a complete list of members of the new House, as shown by unofficial returns, and gives the politics of them all. According to this publication the next House will consist of 219 Republicans and 172 Democrats, a total of 391, as against a total of 389 in the House during the last session, of whom 223 were Republicans and 166 Democrats.

The result is a net loss of four from the Republican side and a net gain of six on the Democratic side, the discrepancy being due to present vacancies. All told, the Democrats gained seventeen districts and the Republicans twelve.

Marriage Announcement.

Mr. William Henderson, of the Rockville pike, this county, and Miss Lizzie Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Fox, of near Red Bridge, this county, will be married at the home of the bride's parents on Thanksgiving day, November 26 at 2:30. Rev. Mr. French will officiate. All friends of both young people are cordially invited to attend the ceremony.

CELEBRATING HIS
GOLDEN JUBILEE

Pope Pius X. Was Ordained a Priest of Catholic Church 50 Years Ago.

ROME, Nov. 16.—Fifty years of service to the Catholic Church, marked by this date, have not crushed out the gentleness and almost simple boyishness of Pope Pius X., who is today celebrating his golden jubilee, having been ordained priest half a century ago.

Priesthood, Bishop, Cardinalate, have each seemed to play their part in mellowing his life into gentleness that well befits the popular idea of his station.

Giuseppe Sarto, born in 1838, in a soldier's lowly family, was educated at Treviso and Padua, and spent his whole life, until his elevation to the Papacy, in Northern Italy. The Italian Government objected to his elevation to the Patriarchy of Venice in 1893, claiming the right to name the patriarch. An argument ensued, in which the Government yielded because of the extremely satisfactory personality of Sarto.

His modesty and simplicity won him the love of all. August 3, 1903, after six fruitless ballots, he was elected Pope, after fighting against the nomination on the ground that he desired to lead a simple life outside the walls of the prisonlike Vatican.

Even officials of the Italian Government have described him, not as a father to his church, but as a friend to mankind.

SALOON CASES TO BE
TRIED MONDAY NIGHT.

Remainder of Trials of Charges Brought By Pres. Taylor, of Kentucky Wesleyan to Be Heard.

The remainder of the cases against the saloon men charged with selling liquor to a minor that were not tried in police court last week will be tried Monday night.

These are the cases against the saloon men that were brought through Prof. H. K. Taylor of Kentucky Wesleyan College, in which they are charged with selling to Roger Green, a minor, of Mt. Sterling, and a student at the college.

Mrs. Matt Adams and her guest, Mme. Hiddinga, of Washington, D. C., were entertained this afternoon by Mrs. Kate Milward, of Lexington.

TSZE HSI AN IS
OFFICIALLY DEAD

Troops Guard the Foreign Legations and Great Uprising Feared.

Peking, Nov. 16.—Tsze Hsi An, the dowager empress of China, the autocratic head of the government, which she directed without successful interference since 1861 and without protest since 1881, is dead.

The announcement of the dowager empress' death was official, and followed closely upon the announcement that Kuang Hsu, the emperor, had died, but it is believed that the deaths of both the emperor and the dowager empress occurred a considerable time before that set down in the official statements.

An edict just issued places upon the throne Prince Pu-Yi, the 3-year-old son of Prince Chun, the regent of the empire, in accordance with a promise given by the dowager empress soon after the marriage of Prince Chun in 1903. An edict issued on Friday made Pu-Yi heir presumptive.

The foreign legations have been notified by the foreign board of the death of the emperor and the succession of Prince Pu-Yi. Troops have been in readiness for several days to quell any disorders that might arise on the death of Kuang Hsu, and the possibility of uprisings was made greater because of the fact that the death of the dowager empress was known to be close at hand. Two divisions of troops have been held in reserve, and these are now stationed in various quarters of the city. Twenty gendarmes were dispatched to guard the approaches to the legations, but up to the present the duties of the forces have been slight. It was announced that the legation guard was ordered out at "the special call of the legations on account of the emperor's death."

Deathbed observances of 3,000 years ago marked the passing of the emperor and dowager. They died alone and unattended, although surrounded by circles of abject spectators, who remained a rod distant, as on account of the sacred persons of their majesties they could not be approached. The emperor died as he had lived, without ministrations of whatever kind or scientific aid. For months he had refused to permit the services of foreign physicians, and although it was stated that he had gone back to the old form of medical treatment, it is believed that latterly he received no treatment at all.

Tse Hsi An (or western empress), was born Nov. 17, 1834. She was the child of poor people, who lived in Peking. At an early age, following a common practice in China, she was sold as a slave by her parents on account of their poverty. She became the property of a famous general who, enchanted with her great beauty, adopted her and offered her as a present to the reigning emperor, Hsien-Feng. She so charmed the emperor by her looks and intelligence that he made her his secondary wife, and on her bearing him a son, the future emperor, Tung-Chih, raised her to the first rank. On his death she became the regent of the empire, administering the national affairs with more vigor than any of her predecessors. Her authority was complete over about 14,000 officials and over the welfare and lives of the vast majority of the inhabitants of China, who number close to 270,000,000.

Among the populace she was feared and hated, principally because of her treatment of the emperor, for whom the enlightened and the common people had a sympathetic liking. She was commonly referred to by the sobriquet "the old Buddha," and her character in the eyes of the masses was that of the tyrant of the emperor. She was a law unto herself. She violated the constitution of the dynasty that forbids a woman ruler, and broke the sacred customs given by the sages. She relentlessly ordered all betrothals and marriages in the imperial household, family and imperial court, and supervised scrupulously the conduct of individuals.

Henry Continues to Improve.
San Francisco, Nov. 16.—The condition of Francis J. Henry, who was shot in the courtroom Friday by Morris Haas, is still most satisfactory, and the attending surgeons report that he is making excellent progress on the road to recovery. He passed a comfortable night, sleeping most of the time.

Union Official Forced Out.
Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 16.—On demand of the executive committee of the Canadian Pacific Mechanics' union, Bell Hardy, chairman, resigned owing to dissatisfaction of the men over the settlement of the strike a few weeks ago.

EIGHT KILLED
IN RACE RIOT

Governor Haskell Rushes Troops to Scene—Negro Shoots An Officer.

Okmulgee, Okla., Nov. 16.—Eight persons were killed and ten others wounded in a fight between Jim Deckard, a negro desperado, and law officers.

The dead: Edgar Robinson, sheriff of Okmulgee county; Henry Klaber, assistant chief of police of Okmulgee; two negroes named Chapman, brothers; Jim Deckard, negro; three unidentified negroes.

The wounded: Steve Grayson, Indian boy, fatally beaten; Vic Farr, chief of police, shot through shoulder; deputy sheriff, name not learned, arm broken; seven others, slightly wounded.

The disturbance began at the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad station, where Jim Deckard engaged in a fight with an Indian boy, Steve Grayson, and beat him into insensibility with a rock. Friends of Grayson notified the police, and when Policeman Klaber went to the station Deckard fled to his house nearby, barricaded himself in, and when Klaber approached Deckard shot and instantly killed him. Sheriff Robinson formed a posse in a few minutes and hurried to the scene. Part of this posse was made up of a group of negroes, whom the sheriff commissioned as deputies. As the posse approached the house Deckard opened fire with a rifle, firing as rapidly as he could load his weapon. The sheriff fell first, instantly killed.

Then five of the negro deputies were slain. Deckard's house was soon surrounded by a frenzied mob of armed men. Fire was set to a house just north of Deckard's. Volleys were poured into Deckard's house and he was shot down. He was seen to roll over on the floor, strike a match and set fire to his own house, which was soon a roaring furnace, in which his body was baked. Deckard evidently had a large quantity of ammunition stored in his house, for many cartridges exploded while the house was burning.

Governor Haskell at Guthrie was notified of the battle and of the bad feeling between whites and negroes that had grown out of it and threatened a race riot. The governor at once ordered the militia company at Muskogee to prepare to go to Okmulgee, and a special train was made ready to carry the troops, the governor remaining at his office to keep in touch with the situation.

MITCHELL MAY RUN

For Presidency of United Mine Workers Against Tom Lewis.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 16.—Nearly all the delegates to the twenty-eighth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor made an excursion to the mountains near Denver as guests of local unions. Frequent reference was made in conversation among the excursionists to the fact that it was the twenty-seventh anniversary of the founding of the organization, now comprising 1,586,885 members, of which Samuel Gompers has been president 26 years.

One of the expected controversies of the convention has been averted by the announcement of President Thomas L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America that he was not a candidate for the vice presidency of the federation in opposition to John Mitchell. It is understood that Mr. Mitchell will run against Lewis for the presidency of the mine workers, from which he retired a year ago on account of poor health.

Dies In Church Pew.

Woburn, Mass., Nov. 16.—Edward D. Hayden, vice president and secretary of the Boston & Albany railroad and a member of the Forty-ninth and Fiftieth sessions, two congresses, died of apoplexy in his pew at the Woburn Unitarian church.

Haas Commits Suicide.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—Maurice Haas, who attempted to assassinate Francis J. Henry, committed suicide by shooting himself through the middle of the forehead with a pistol which he had concealed about his person.

Kills Woman and Self.

Dayton, O., Nov. 16.—Chester Gebhart, 50, shot and killed Mrs. Marie Costello, 45, at her home and then killed himself. Jealousy prompted the shooting.

Aged Man Falls Dead.

Hamilton, O., Nov. 16.—While loading hay at Venice, Andrew Joyce, 76, a carpenter, suddenly fell dead. Apoplexy is supposed to have been the cause.

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